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RESCHEDULED **SHORT-TERM PAVING PROJECT BEGINS ON STATE ROUTE 62 IN 29 PALMS**

TWENTYNINE PALMS – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will begin a rubberized asphalt concrete overlay project on State Route 62 on Monday, July 26, 2004 and will continue through Friday, July 30, 2004. The project will involve lane closures between 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. for 1.6 miles from Hatch Road to Pine Avenue in Twentynine Palms. For the convenience of local traffic, one lane will remain open in each direction.

Detour:

- If you are driving north on SR 62 – turn right on Mojave Avenue to Cactus Drive, turn left and continue to Hatch Road. Continue to Sullivan Road, turn left onto Adobe Road and return to SR 62.
- If you are driving south on SR 62 – turn left on Adobe Rd., then turn right on Sullivan Rd., continue on Hatch Rd. to Mojave Rd., turn right and return to SR 62.

Side streets located in the project limits will also be closed during construction work hours. The result of the project will be a smoother drive for motorists along with new striping to the lanes.

Your patience is appreciated during this improvement project and please reduce your speed as you approach the work area. Follow the detour signs and proceed with caution through the detour area. The life you save may be your own when you slow for the cone zone.

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